

State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

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Inspection Report Minerals Regulatory Program

Reviewed:

October 1, 2012

Permit number:	141/022/0010
Inspection Date:	August 28,

2012

Time: About 5:00-5:20 PM

Inspector(s): Paul Baker Other Participants: None Mine Status: Active

Weather: Cloudy, 70s

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds, Permit Fees	\boxtimes	\boxtimes	
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)			
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	$\overline{\boxtimes}$	\boxtimes	
4. Deleterious Material			
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)			
6. Concurrent Reclamation			
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls,			
shafts, drill holes)			
8. Soils			
9. Revegetation			
0. Other			

Purpose of Inspection:

This was a routine inspection.

Inspection Summary:

1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds, Permit Fees

The permit fee is up to date. The Division holds a surety bond in the amount of \$40,000, and it is due for re-evaluation on August 24, 2016.

The operator still owes \$528.00 for notice of violation MN-2008-41-03.

3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control

There had obviously been a substantial rain storm, and about half of the check dam has washed away. It needs to be re-built.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

The check dam needs to be re-built. This needs to be done before the next inspection.

The operator needs to pay the fine for notice of violation MN-2008-41-03.

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Inspector's Signature

Directions:

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Photo 1.



Photo 2. The portion of the check dam that was washed out is in the left center portion of this picture.



Photo 3. This and Photo 4 are overviews of part of the area being mined.



Photo 4.